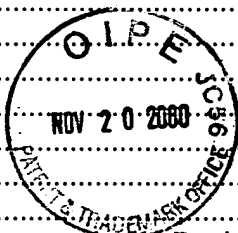


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13 **AMENDMENTS**

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15 **In the Claims**

16 New claims 5-8 are presented for examination.

17 Claims 1-8 are pending and are listed below.

18 Please amend claims 1 and 2 as follows:  
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